



Thursday

ENGLISH WEEK 4

Year 1



English Support

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Week four: 30/04/2020

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Overview and outcome

This is a three-week planning sequence using *Send for a Superhero* by Michael Rosen and Katharine McEwen in which children create their own superheroes and use them to defeat baddies set to destroy their school. During the sequence, they write letters and emails asking for help, create wanted posters, generate character descriptions for their invented superheroes and the create their own version of the *Send for the Superhero* story. This is week two.

Learning objectives for this lesson

To understand how words can combine to make sentences

To join words and clauses using *and, but, because* and *or*

Success criteria

I can use punctuation correctly

I can join sentences using conjunctions

How?

Read up to 'send for Extremely Boring Man!'

Sentence Joiners:

Have two strips of sentences and some blank ones (for them to create their own sentences-you can use the models on the next page). Ask children to read the sentences with you and then ask them which they could place together. Ask children which words they could use to join. Model using **and, but, because or or** to join. *How do we need to change the punctuation?*

They sent for steel Man.	He wasn't strong enough.
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They sent for SFTTAVF Man.	He wasn't fast enough.
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They sent for IBSG Man.	He wasn't big enough.
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Model using these to write the opening of a diary entry that tells the story so far.

Independent work



Complete the task below

Create some more sentences with your child. Can they join them using any of the **highlighted** words from above. Children to use these sentences they have generated to retell the story so far in the form of a diary entry.

Dear Diary,

Today something came to our town.



Complete the task below

Write a diary entry explaining what has happened so far. Extend your sentences using these words; **and, but, because or or.**

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Today something came to our town.



Complete the task below

Write a diary entry explaining what has happened so far. Extend your sentences using these words; **and, but, because or or.**

Dear Diary,

Today something came to our town.

After this discuss with your parent what you think might happen next. You can write this down if you wish. Can you write any exclamatory sentences. Don't forget to use an exclamation mark.